upon the workers to be recruited by them. They are not required to deposit any amount in cash with the Government.

(c) and (d). The Registration Certificates are issued keeping in view the applicants' financial soundness, trustworthiness, their having basic facilities for carrying out the business, their antecedents and their furnishing security in the form of bank guarantee. In the event of non-fulfilment of these conditions, applicantions for grant of Registration Certificates are rejected.

AIR/Doordarshan Kendras in Assam

2470. DR. PRABIN CHANDRA SARMA : Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state :

(a) the location-wise details of All India Radio Stations and Doordarshan Kendras in Assam which have the facilities of producing original programmes in Assamese language;

(b) the details of such projects under implementation in the State, location-wise;

(c) whether Assamess language is given adequate time in telecasting on the National network and DD channels;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION AND MINISTER OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI C.M. IBRAHIM) : (a) and (b). Details are given in attached Statement.

(c) to (e). Except for regional films on Sundays which are telecast on National Network alphabetically language-wise by rotation, no other programme in regional language is telecast on the National Network. Doordarshan Kendra, Guwahati telecasts Assamese programmes daily between 6.00 P.M. and 8.30 P.M. in addition to a daily five minute news bulletin in the morning from 8.40 to 8.45 A.M. Furthermore, programmes in Assamese and other languages of North Satellite Channel (DD-13) for a duration of 7 hours 30 minutes daily.

STATEMENT

Under Implementation in Assam Which Have Programme Production (Assame) facilities as Referred to in Reply to Parts (a) and (b) of the Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 2470 for 1.8.96

Station/Kendras Functioning	Station/Kendras under Implementation
1	2
ALL INDIA RADIO	
Guwahati	Kokrajhar (NRS)
Dibrugarh	Tezpur (NRS)
Jorhat (LRS)	
Haflong (LRS)	
Nagaon (LRS)	
Diphu (LRS)	
Silchar	
DOORDARSHAN	
Guwahati (PPC)	
Dibrugarh (PPC)	
Silchar (PPC)	

Legend : LRS - Local Radio station.
NRS - New Radio Station
PPC - Programme Production Centre.

Industrial Training to Women

2471. DR. ARUN KUMAR SARMA : Will the Minister of LABOUR be pleased to state :

(a) the details of the financial assistance provided for imparting industrial training to women institution-wise and State-wise during each of the last three years;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether any monitoring is also done by the Government to ensure proper utilisation of the financial assistance;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) if not the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF LABOUR (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM) : (a) to (e). The information is being collected from the concerned states and will be laid on the Table of the House.

Atlanta Olympics, 1996

2472. SHRI SANAT KUMAR MANDAL : Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state :

(a) the amount paid for purchasing the exclusive telecast rights of the Atlanta Olymics, 1996 by the Doordarshan;

(b) the advertising revenue likely to be earned by Doordarshan during the telecast of the games;

(c) the timing of the live telecast of the events in India;

(d) its impact, on the regular programming on DD-I and DD-2; and